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Attorney Docket No. 42390P11284  
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No. of Pages: 4, including Fee Transmittal

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Title: AN APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR ASYMMETRIC ELECTRONIC COMMERCE TRANSACTIONS

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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

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1.  **Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)**  
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2.  **Applicant Claims Small Entity Status. (37 CFR 1.27)**
3.  **Specification (Total Pages 25, including cover page)**  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4.  **Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets 14 sheets of 15 figures)**
5.  **Oath or Declaration (Total Pages 5)**
  - a.  Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
  - b.  Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed)
    - i.  **DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S)** Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
    - c.  Unsigned.
6.  **Application Data Sheet. (37 CFR 1.76)**
7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
  - a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b.  Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii.  paper
  - c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  **Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))**  
10.  a. Separate 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee)  
       b. Power of Attorney  
11.  English Translation Document (if applicable)  
12.  a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449  
       b. Copies of IDS Citations  
13.  **Preliminary Amendment**  
14.  **Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)**  
15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)  
16.  **Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.**  
17.  Other: Two checks in the amounts of \$710.00 and \$80.00

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### 18B. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) for continuing application:

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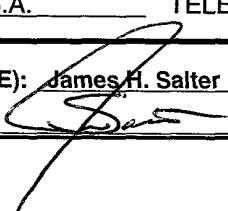
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## FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 11/29/00)

1. FILING FEE

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Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
101	710	201	355
106	320	206	160
107	490	207	245
108	710	208	355
114	150	214	75
		Utility application filing fee	<u>710.00</u>
		Design application filing fee	_____
		Plant filing fee	_____
		Reissue filing fee	_____
		Provisional application filing fee	_____
		SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 710.00	

2. CLAIMS

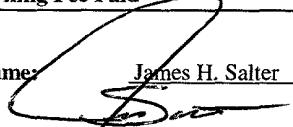
		<u>Extra</u>	<u>Fee from below</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
Total Claims	<u>20</u>	<u>- 20 = 0</u>	<u>X 0</u>	<u>= 0</u>
Independent Claims	<u>4</u>	<u>- 3 = 1</u>	<u>X 80</u>	<u>= 80</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims		<u>0</u>	<u>X 0</u>	<u>= 0</u>

Large Entity Small Entity

<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
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Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
103	18	203	9
102	80	202	40
104	270	204	135
109	80	209	40
110	18	210	9
		Claims in excess of twenty	_____
		Independent claims in excess of 3	<u>80.00</u>
		Multiple dependent claim	_____
		Reissue independent claims over original patent	_____
		Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	_____
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127	50	227	25
139	130	139	130
147	2,520	147	2,520
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115	110	215	55
116	390	216	195
117	890	217	445
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128	1,890	228	945
119	310	219	155
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121	270	221	135
138	1,510	138	1,510
140	110	240	55
141	1,240	241	620
142	1,240	242	620
143	440	243	220
144	600	244	300
122	130	122	130
123	50	123	50
126	180	126	180
581	40	581	40
146	710	246	355
149	710	249	355
179	710	279	355
169	900	169	900
195	300	195	300
196	300	196	300
194	130	194	130
098	130	098	130
091	1,240	091	1,240
Other: _____			
*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid			
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